

Servicemen Not Permitted to Thumb Rides

Thumbing rides on streets and highways, standing in dangerous traffic lanes to solicit rides will draw punishment for servicemen guilty of such acts, according to a warning published in this week's issue of "The Convoy," weekly newspaper of Los Angeles Port of Embarkation.

Servicemen, however, may stand or sit motionless in a marked "serviceman lift" area and accept rides offered, the Army paper added.

Methodist Church to Observe Holy Week

Holy Week will be observed in the Methodist church starting with Palm Sunday services. There will be a Decision Day service in the Sunday school, with the boys and girls making their decision to join the church. At the morning worship service is a baptism service and reception of members.

Next Wednesday evening will be "Family Night," with a potluck dinner at 6 o'clock, followed by the official board meeting. Thursday evening, a candlelight communion service at 7 o'clock in the church, and Friday, union Good Friday services will be held in this church from 12 to 3 o'clock.

Easter Sunday a special program in the Sunday school. At the Easter morning worship service special music by the vested choir and an Easter message by the pastor. A baptism service and reception of members will also be held. In the afternoon a vesper service will be held, with the choir singing the Easter cantata, "The Song of Triumph."

Roosevelt Memorial Park Sunrise Rites On Easter Morning

Easter Sunrise services will be held at Roosevelt Memorial Park, 182nd st. and Vermont ave., at 6:30 a.m. under the auspices of Foursquare churches of the Centinella district.

Bill Reynolds will be at the console of the world's mightiest outdoor pipe organ, around which the worshippers will gather. The church quartet will render "Hallelujah for the Cross," a solo by Dale Reynolds, "Jesus Lives," and "One Day" will be presented by the Girls Trio. Rev. Gerald M. Stahly will deliver the Easter message.

St. Andrew's Junior Choristers to Sing At Station Hospital

The Junior choristers of St. Andrew's church under the direction of Mrs. Carl Lane have been asked by Chaplain Oscar Taylor to provide the special music Sunday at the Torrance Army Station Hospital for the general Protestant service at 9 a.m. The class will present special Palm Sunday anthems as well as lead the men in the singing of hymns.

In the evening the choir will sing at St. Cross church, Hermosa Beach, for a special service of the young people of the Episcopal churches of Torrance, Downey and Hermosa Beach.

NOT DEBATABLE

To yield the right of way or not to yield may be a moot question in the minds of some motorists, but the law is clear on this subject. A vehicle approaching an intersection must yield to a vehicle within the intersection.

Church Services

NOTICE: Copy for Church Notices cannot be accepted after 10 a. m. Tuesday.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday Services
8 a. m., Holy Communion and prayers for the sick second Sunday at 8:30 a. m. Breakfast of Boys' Service League.
9:30 a. m., Junior church and school. All departments from nursery through senior high.
11 a. m., First Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon. Other Sundays, morning prayer and sermon.
7:30 p. m., Third Sunday, Holy Communion and service of intercession for the armed forces.

Weekly Services and Meetings
10 a. m., Holy Days, Holy Communion.
11 a. m., second Thursday, Holy Communion.
First Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Gardena Episcopal Guild.
First Friday, 8 p. m., St. Cecilia's Guild.

Second Thursday, 11:30 a. m., Woman's Auxiliary.
Second Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Vestry meeting.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. W. W. Jewell, pastor.
1415 Encinella ave.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning service at 10:40 o'clock. Topic: "Triumphal Entry." There will be two services on Easter Sunday.

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Topic: "Satisfying Power of Jesus."
6:30 p. m., senior, intermediate and junior Christian Endeavor.
Wednesday evening orchestra practice at 6:00; prayer meeting at 7:00; choir rehearsal at 8:00.

Tuesday, April 4, 18, Woman's Council meeting at 11 a. m.
Luncheon by Circle No. 3, Mrs. Everett Engle president. Missionary meeting at 1:30 p. m., Mrs. C. B. King, president.

Easter week of prayer will be observed on April 1-29, April 6 at 1:30 and April 7 at 12:30, with sacrificial luncheon.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Harry Branton, pastor, El Prado at Carson.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Decision Day.
Morning service, 11 o'clock, Baptism and reception of members.
Evening service at 7:30.
Wednesday morning prayer groups meet in the different homes at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday night, Family Night, with potluck dinner in the church dining room at 6 o'clock, followed by the official board meeting.
Thursday evening choir rehearsal at 7:30.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Meeching, pastor. Accia and Sonoma aves.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic: "The Glorious Resurrection."
Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Midweek service in Holy Week on Good Friday evening at 7:30. Rev. E. H. Knitt of Bellflower will deliver the message. Holy communion and supper service.
Teachers meeting and the church council meeting on Tuesday, April 4, at 7:15 and 8:00 p. m.
The Ladies Missionary on Thursday, April 6, at 2 p. m.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL COMMUNITY CHURCH

Marcellina and Arlington aves. Rev. H. Wesley Roloff.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11:00 o'clock. Topic: "Behold Thy King Cometh."
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "The Cross of Christ." Colored pictures, Kwanians and their wives will be special guests.
High School Christian Endeavor, 6:00 p. m., in the Guild Hall.
"Entire Family" church night, April 5, Wednesday, 7:30. Topic: "I Choose the Cross." The church choir will sing.

MONETA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

David E. Barnett, Jr., pastor. Gardena blvd. and Manhattan pl., Gardena (1 block west of Western) at 165th st.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning service, 11:00 o'clock. Topic: "The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper."
7:30 p. m., Service of dedication. Installation of youth officers.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Meets at 9:30 a. m. Sunday in their hall opposite public library on Cravens avenue. All men welcome.

Church of The Nativity

Engracia and Manuel Aves. Rev. Joseph L. Bauer, Pastor

Holy Week Services:

PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 2
Masses - - 6, 8 and 10 o'clock Solemn Blessing and Distribution of Blessed Palm at the 10 o'clock Mass.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5
Confessions from 4 until 6; Novena services at 7:30, followed by confessions until all are heard.

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 6
Holy Communion at 6:30, 7:00 and 7:30.
High Mass with Procession at 8 o'clock.

Half hour's adoration during entire day. Let everyone make a visit for at least a half hour. Evening: 7:30 - Public congregational prayers and adoration with explanation of Good Friday and Holy Saturday services.

FIRST BAPTIST
Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor. Carson and Martin.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning service, 10:50 o'clock. Topic: "God's Love at the Cross."
Communion Sunday.
Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Topic: "The Blessing and Gift of Music." Special music night.
Midweek K services, Wednesday, 8:15 p. m., the ideal program for prayer union.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting and testimony.

KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Young people, 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday K services, Wednesday and Friday, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services at Torrance Men's Bible Class building on Cravens, Boyl Field, pastor.
Morning service, 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:45 o'clock. Tuesday evening services, 7:45 o'clock.

FOURSQUARE GOSPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freedman, pastors, 1207 El Prado.
Sunday school, 9:20 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 7:25 p. m.
Prayer meet, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Esther Kerr Rustol, guest speaker Sunday night.

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

Engracia and Manuel avenues. Rev. Fr. Joseph L. Bauer, pastor. Telephone 332.
Masses Sundays: 6, 8 and 10 a. m. Masses Holydays: 6 and 8 a. m. Week day Mass: 8 a. m.
Novena services to Sacred Heart, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Devotions to Sacred Heart, First Friday, 8 a. m.
Classes for converts, Monday evening, 7 to 9 p. m.; Wednesday evening, after services.
Confessions: Saturdays, 4 to 6 p. m.; 7:30 to 9 p. m.; eves of Holydays and First Fridays, same time.
Catechism classes: Wednesdays at 3 p. m.; Saturdays at 9:30 a. m. Altar boy meetings, Wednesdays at 4:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Mondays at 7:30 p. m.
Altar Society meetings, last Wednesday of month, 8:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH

W. A. Penner, pastor, 1501 W. Carson st.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Women's clubhouse, Wilford Newland, bishop.
Sunday school, Relief Society and Primary, 10 a. m.
Sacrament meeting, Sunday, 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Topic: p. m.
Mutual improvement meeting, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Paul H. Perry, pastor, 1741 Border ave.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Christ's Ambassadors service, 6:30 p. m. Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

The 72,000 members in the 505 posts of the American Legion in California were urged today to participate in the 25th observance of Public Schools Week, beginning April 24, in a public statement by William P. Haughton, state commander of the Legion.

KANSAS PICNIC

The annual spring picnic reunion of former and visiting Jayhawkers in the southland will be held all day Saturday, April 1, 1944, at Sycamore Grove Park in Los Angeles.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

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O'Brien reported to Gardena police that a young man had bought some cigarettes and received change for the bill and the fraud was discovered a short time after he departed. Chief Field stated that two

men were apprehended, John Colton, Ussury of Hermosa Beach and George Miller of Wilbrook, who admitted buying cigarettes at the market but denied knowledge of the counterfeit. O'Brien declined to press charges.

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